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INAUGURATION DAY.

An Occasion of Great Display in Washington.

Not Much Like It Was in the Day of Thomas Jefferson—Conduct of the Crowds at the Capitol.

Thomas Jefferson was the first president of our country to be inaugurated at Washington. This took place in the year 1801, when our national capital was not much more than a year old; and you may imagine that the city was a very different place from what it is to-day.

But now instead of a straggling town with a few muddy streets and about 3,000 inhabitants, Jefferson would find our national capital one of the most beautiful cities on the face of the earth, with a population of nearly 300,000; and on March 4 he would behold a scene such as he never dreamed of. Thousands of flags fly from the house-tops and windows, brightly-colored bunting in beautiful designs adorns the great public buildings, all the stores and business houses are gayly decorated with flags and streamers, and everything presents the appearance of a great and glorious holiday, while the streets swarm with the hundreds of thousands of people who have come to the city from all parts of the country to take part in the grand celebration.

Everybody is moving toward Pennsylvania avenue, where the parade is to march. No, not everybody; some fifty or sixty thousand make their way to the capitol, so as to get a glimpse of the inauguration exercises that will take place on the east portico, and although the ceremonies will not begin until nearly one o'clock, the great space in front of the capitol is packed with people three hours before the time, some of them having come as early as eight o'clock in the morning to be sure of getting a good view.

Early in the morning Pennsylvania avenue is cleared of all street cars, carriages and bicycles, and no one is allowed to step off the sidewalk. A strong wire rope is stretched along each side of the avenue, so as to prevent people from getting into the street.

Soon every window and balcony along the line is crowded with spectators. Even the roofs are black with people, and small boys may be seen perched among the branches of the trees, or hanging onto the electric-light poles. For a distance of nearly three miles on each side of the street people are packed so closely together that it is almost impossible for them to move. In every park and open space along the line large wooden stands have been erected; and these, too, are filled with those who are willing to pay for the seats.

As the time for the morning parade draws near, the crowd becomes restless with eagerness and excitement. Policemen on horseback dash up and down the avenue to see that the road is clear, and every now and then a trooper or messenger in bright uniform gallops past. Suddenly the boom of a cannon is heard. The next moment there comes the distant roll of drums, and then, amid the inspiring music of brass bands and tremendous cheering, the procession appears moving slowly down the avenue on its way to the capitol. Riding ahead is a squad of mounted police—big, brawny fellows, with glittering brass buttons. After them come the United States troops and naval forces, armed with their rifles and sabers that flash in the sunlight, and marching to the music of the famous Marine band, while rumbling over the hard, smooth pavement of the avenue come the big cannons drawn by powerful horses. Then appears the chief marshal of the parade drawn on his spirited horse, heading the body guard of soldiers that surround the open carriage containing the president and the president-elect, sitting side by side. As the carriage, which is drawn by four handsome horses, rolls slowly along with its distinguished occupants, men and boys shout and cheer at the top of their lungs and throw their hats into the air when their voices give out, while the women and girls wave their handkerchiefs and hurrah with the rest of the crowd. With hat in hand, the president-elect smiles and bows to the right and left; and with the bands playing and people cheering, handkerchiefs fluttering and flags flying, he arrives at the capitol a few minutes before noon. Here he meets with another rousing reception from the great mass of people who have been waiting for him for two or three hours; and it requires all the efforts of a small army of police to open a way for him and his party to pass into the capitol—Clifford Howard, in St. Nicholas.

Sold for Cash.

The man in the ulster nodded in the direction of the athletic-looking man who had just passed, and remarked: "He was sold last summer."

The man in the box coat was suspicious at once.

"What's the catch?" he asked.

"None," answered the man in the ulster. "I mean just what I say. He was sold."

"For money?"

"Yes, sir; for money."

"Do you mean to say," demanded the man in the box coat fiercely, "that in the face of the emancipation proclamation anyone dares to sell a human being?"

"What's the emancipation proclamation got to do with the baseball league?" demanded the man in the ulster in his turn.

"Ah, yes—ha! ha!—good joke," said the man in the box coat, but he didn't look as if he enjoyed it a little bit.—Chicago Post.

The Reason.

Julia—Jackson hesitates to speak well of anyone.
Helen—Why so?
"He stutters."—Yale Record.

FOLLOWED HER INSTRUCTIONS.

A Servant's Obedience to Her Master's Orders Proves Embarrassing.

Some people are so careful about instructing their servants to beware of confidence men that they have trouble getting into their own houses after dark when they have forgotten their keys. One south side resident regrets that he ever aroused the caution of the faithful housemaid who runs things at his home.

He has often instructed her not to give any coats or grips or other valuable things to the wily stranger who comes around with a glib story about Mr. Smith sending him up from the office to get his overcoat. But one of the chilly days last week he went forth with a light overcoat on and stopped at the corner barber shop. While waiting his turn he decided the day was too chilly for so light a coat and, giving it to the colored porter, asked him to run to the house and exchange it for his ulster. The boy hastened away with the coat and a few minutes later rang the door bell of the residence.

"Mr. Smith is down to de babbah shop, ma'am, an' he 'lows its too cold foh dis coat, an' he wants me to get his heavy coat," he said to Hannah, the housemaid, when she looked out suspiciously through a crack in the doorway. She regarded him silently a few moments and recognized the garment on his arm as that of her employer.

"Give me that coat!" she demanded suddenly, reaching for it. The boy turned it over without a word. Closing the door to the original crack she shouted triumphantly:

"You'll get no coats here with your confidence games, me bould bucko!"

And she slammed the door on the porter. Five minutes later the shivering citizen, left thus with no overcoat, hurried home with coat collar turned up to his ears and climbed into his ulster. But he had no instructions to give the housemaid.—Chicago Chronicle.

Practice Walking.

An easy way to practice walking well is to start out right. Just before you leave the house walk up to the wall and see that your toes, chest and nose touch it at once; then in that attitude walk away. Keep your head up and your chest out and your shoulders and back will take care of themselves. A southern school-teacher used to instruct her girls to walk always as if trying to look over the top of an imaginary carriage just in front of them. It was good advice, for it kept the head raised. Don't think these things are of no value. They add to your health and your attractiveness, two things to which everybody should pay heed.—St. Louis Republic.

Her Explanation.

Mr. Grayson—You say that this Mrs. Sappington is a bad woman, and yet you invite her to your house. I'd like to know how you justify yourself?

Mrs. Grayson—Oh, but society hasn't found her out.—Cleveland Leader.

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Shirt Waist Sale.

25c each, 10 dozen Shirt Waists, made of good material in the latest style, with white detachable collar. These are regular 50c goods; while they last, 25c each.

35c each, 6 dozen Shirt Waists, with attached turn down collar of same material.

75c each, 5 dozen in this lot, made of fine Dimities, regular \$1 goods.

Ladies' Wrappers, Capes and Skirts.

We have just secured a special lot of these, and for spot cash job 40 per cent. off from party who needed the ready money. We give you the advantage of this at Monday's sale, as follows: Six Dozen CALICO WRAPPERS 49c each, others at 75 and 89c.

33c a yard Light Ground Calicos.

6c a yard 10c quality of Lace Striped Lawns and Dimities.

Ladies' Skirts.

2 dozen Black Figured Skirts at sale 89c each, regular price \$1.50, others at \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2 each, actual value double the price we have marked them.

Ladies' Capes.

This fine lot consists of cloth, silk and velvet Capes in taupe, black, green and blue, and prices range from \$1.25 to \$3.50 each—Just one-half what you will pay for the goods elsewhere.

Millinery.

On sale during this week—You will find a lot of new straw shapes, sailors, etc., also flowers at prices that will be tempting. Come and see them.

Neckties.

We have one lot of Ties, consisting of cravats and hand bows. They are 25c each; while they last price will be 9c each.

Lining Department.

In Linings find following specials. Best kind Cambrie Skirt Lining 33c, 24 inch Hair 25c, worth 35c; French Hair Cloth 35c, worth 45c; Silicas 10c, Rustle Lining, yard wide, 7c.

Dress Goods and Silks. Special for this week in Silks is 12 pieces of Shepherd-Checks at 25c, worth 40c; also beautiful lines of plain taffeta and figured silks at low prices.

Notice.

When we started our store here many remarks were made something as follows "His location is no good," "He will starve there because no one will go over there to trade," "You are on the wrong side of the street, Tompkins." It's all true we are on the wrong side of the street, but we are on the

RIGHT SIDE OF PRICES,

and that's the reason our store has been crowded early and late, and goods have been swept from our counters as though a cyclone had struck them.

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WEATHER INDICATIONS.
BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 20.—General-ly fair, continued cold; warmer Wednesday.

THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Frank's drug store, to-day:
7 a. m., 28°; 12 m., 44°; 3 p. m., 46°.

AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

—April 21.—Bull of Middletown Base Ball Club, at Assembly Rooms.

—April 22.—Bull of Surprise Hook and Ladder Co., at Assembly Rooms.

—April 23.—Rutgers' College Glee Club at next Schubert Club concert.

—April 24.—Bachelor Club hop.

—April 24.—"A Divorce Case," at Casino.

—April 25.—Bernice Costello, dramatic reader, at First Congregational Church.

—April 26.—Excursion to New York via N. Y. O. & W. Railroad.

—April 26, 27.—Excursion to New York, via Erie Railroad.

—April 28.—Festival of the Society of St. Elizabeth, at Assembly Rooms.

—April 30, May 1.—Kate Greenway concert, for benefit of Christ Church Sunday School, at Assembly Rooms.

—May 6.—Informal card party and dance, under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Auxiliary of Thrall Hospital, at Assembly Rooms.

—May 18.—John Kendrick Baus at 3d Presbyterian Church, under the auspices of the "Heart to Heart Circle of King's Daughters."

—May 27, 28.—"Comedy of Toys," benefit Ladies' Auxiliary of Y. M. C. A., at Casino.

TUESDAY, APRIL 20, 1897.

One of the "marvels" of the new journalism is its ability to produce overnight pictures of battles that were fought yesterday on the Turkish frontier.

A caustic newspaper man, writing of the Kentucky Senatorial contest, says that an expense of over \$20,000 has been entailed on the State by the "at-tempt to elect a 25 cent Republican politician to a \$5,000 job."

London has gone wild over the Queen's jubilee and speculation in seats from which the procession can be seen to advantage has run mad. Fabulous prices are being paid for desirable seats. A three-story building with but a few windows, opposite St. Paul's Cathedral, in front of which the thanksgiving service will be held, has been leased for \$50,000 for a single day. A syndicate of speculators has offered \$100,000 for the privilege of removing a building on Ludgate Hill, erecting a stand in its place and subsequently rebuilding and restoring the original structure. For eight windows in desirable localities as high as \$10,000 has been paid.

THE ANTI-TRUST BILLS.

Passed by the Senate To-day—A Few Republicans Vote With Democrats.

ALBANY, April 20.—The Anti-Trust bills were considered in the Senate, to-day. Each Senator was given five minutes for argument.

The bill amending the stock corporation law was passed 31 to 19. Brush, Humphrey, Stewart, Chahoon and Seibert, voted with the minority.

The bill for the prevention of monopolies was passed 30 to 20. Tibbets and the Senators above named voted with the minority.

TURKS BOMBARD A HOSPITAL.

ATHENS, April 20.—Col. Manos, commanding the Greek forces on the frontier of Epirus, telegraphed to the government that the Turks are bombarding the military hospital at Arta, although the Red Cross flag was hoisted over it.

SIOU NEWARD, SIOU.

The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers, that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

A VICTORY FOR THE TURKS.

The Greeks Driven from the Mountains—An Advance of the Whole Turkish Army to be Ordered—Greeks Say Their Defeat Was Due to a Misunderstood Order.

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HEADQUARTERS TURKISH ARMY, ELASSONA, April 19, (night)—The Turkish artillery, this afternoon, began cannonading Tyrnovo, a town northwest of Larissa and only about ten miles from the Greek headquarters.

The whole chain of mountains from Teheissza to Milouna Pass is now in possession of the Turks.

The last brush on the hills was very brief, the Greeks making little resistance for the dash of the Turks was irresistible.

It is expected that a general advance of the Turkish army will occur to-morrow (Tuesday) morning.

A GREEK ACCOUNT.

ATHENS, April 20.—There was renewed fighting between the Turks and Greeks at Milouna Pass, yesterday. It was most severe, but full details are unobtainable here. The firing ceased at 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

The total Greek loss in the various engagements in Milouna Pass is estimated at 1,000 killed and wounded. Over 200 wounded soldiers and officers of the Greek army have arrived from Larissa, Tyrnovo and Volo. The losses of the Turks are declared to be much greater than of the Greeks.

Prince Constantine has returned from Grizoval to Larissa. He witnessed the severe fighting.

The Greek reverses were due to the fact that General Mastropas, commanding the Greek artillery, misunderstood Constantine's orders and ordered a retreat of the Greek forces. The Turks thereupon advanced and soon occupied Grizoval, pursuing the retreating Greeks and killing a few and wounding 200.

Mastropas' brigade rallied later and made a stand. In the meantime Constantine forwarded reinforcements and the enemy was finally forced back. Constantine severely censured Mastropas for his blunder.

CASHIER STICKNEY'S MURDERER.

The Arrest of Joseph Kelly in Montreal—Found in a House of Ill Repute—Disguised as a Woman.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

MONTREAL, April 20.—Joseph Kelly, accused murderer of Joseph Stickney, cashier of Somersworth, N. H., National Bank, was caught, last night, in a house of ill fame where he was dressed in a woman's garb and spending money for wine amidst great hilarity.

On Kelly's person were found concealed \$2,700 and two letters, one addressed to his father stated that an accomplice, whose name Kelly professed not to know but who was an inmate with him of a reformatory somewhere in New Hampshire, committed the murder. The original design was merely to scare Stickney by showing the revolver, Kelly waiting outside while the other accomplished the robbery. The other letter, which was addressed to a girl named Olive, is in a similar strain.

When Kelly was arrested he made no resistance nor did he protest his innocence. He simply said: "I guess you've got your man this time."

FIGHTING ON THE EPIRUS FRONTIER

A Greek Force Repulsed—Turks Bombarding Arta—Greeks Expect to Demolish Prevesa To-day—Greek Fleet Sails Under Sealed Orders.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

ATHENS, April 20.—It is reported, this morning, that a Greek force which was trying to bridge the river Arahthos on the Epirus frontier has been driven off by the Turks.

The Turks have advanced upon Arta and have been bombarding it since 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Sharp fighting is in progress on the Epirus frontier. The bombardment of Prevesa, the Turkish position at the entrance of the Gulf of Arta, was recommenced at 9 o'clock, this morning, by the Greeks on land and sea. It is believed the town will be reduced to ruins in the course of the day.

The Greek squadron left the Piræus at midnight under sealed orders. Several merchantmen have been lastly armed and a detachment of Greek troops have been hurried abroad.

GRITZOVALI RECAPTURED.

BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.

ATHENS, April 20.—It is announced this evening that the Greeks have recaptured Grizoval.

FACE HUMORS

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DIFFERENCE IN METHODS.

The Way That Won and the Way That Didn't.

The young contractor had his choice to secure the right of way for a railroad in Texas or help construct a monstrous iron bridge in Mexico. He chose the former undertaking because it kept him in his own country. Successful negotiators are born, and he is not one of them. He lacks adaptability. In the wild and woolly districts of the Lone Star state he was like a cat in a strange garret. With the big ranch owners he would have had no difficulty, for they appreciated the advantages of the proposed road. But these cattle kings were in a hopeless minority and were not in touch with local public sentiment.

The grim old moonshiner was among the first to call on the young pioneer. "I don't keer to have no railroad runnin' inter this destrict," was his blunt ultimatum. "I kin in here an' opened up a still an' I kin sell all th' stuff I kin make. It sells fur a good price, an' I'm not goin' ter have any competition. I'm runnin' what yer might call a single-handed monopoly."

"But your little one-horse business can't stand in the way of a great railroad enterprise."

"Yes, I kin, young feller. You can't run no train through here so fast that I can't pick the engineer off, an' with him closed out I reckon yer rollin' stock an' passengers wouldn't be much 'count. I put a injunction on th' road an' when a man puts himself inter contempt with me he's huntin' trouble."

Then came trappers who didn't want game interfered with, cattle thieves who didn't want to be run down with trains and telegraphs, and the keeper of a little frontier tavern who fondled two guns while arguing against a new railroad.

Finally the novice received notice to leave and he wisely obeyed. Then a smooth little Yankee went to the scene, talked like a candidate, put money wherever it would do the most good, passed mountain dew around as if it were water, and inside of three weeks had every objector on his paid staff, ready to shoot in defense of the railroad project.—Detroit Free Press.

Effect of Weather on Crime.

Prof. Willis L. Moore, in a recent lecture, cited statistics to show what a great effect the weather conditions have on crime. There is a larger proportion of crime in the hot months than in the very cold ones, although there is much more inducement for crime in the winter. From the records compiled by a weather bureau official a few years ago, it was found that, while there were 1,600 suicides and 2,500 murders during the three warmest months of the year, there were but 1,200 suicides and 1,700 murders during the three coldest months.—Chicago Inter-Ocean.

Church from a Single Tree.

Santa Rosa, capital of Santa Rosa county, Cal., has a Baptist church, which holds over 200 people, built entirely from timber sawn out of a single redwood. Timbers, weather boarding, and inner lining are all of wood, there being no plaster or bricks and mortar about it. The roofing, too, is of shingles cut from the same tree, and after it was all finished there were 60,000 shingles left.—Chicago Tribune.

Sure to Remember.

Smith—What a curious thing! Here's Jones been walking around all day holding his nose!

Brown—Why, his wife told him not to forget to order some snafels for dinner.—Brooklyn Life.

Reassured.

He—And you say Miss Sittout is your friend? Well, I hope you don't flirt as she does.

She—Oh, indeed I don't. I think her way is horrible.—Brooklyn Life.

GET GOOD KID GLOVES.

The only sort we sell. We offer better gloves than ever at the best price for the buyer. Our Lorient, real kid, is a leader at \$1. Our Neptune, at \$1.25, cannot be bettered at \$1.50. We also sell the genuine Foster Lacing Gloves, 3 qualities, at \$1, \$1.35, \$1.75. You can find gloves for the children and for gents in this department in great variety. Headquarters for Dress Goods.

CARSON & TOWNER,

No. 11 West Main Street.

Telephone 166.



Easter Ties, Gloves, Collars, Cuffs

Those Nobby Light Overcoats, Suits, Pantaloones are great sellers. New stock of Children's Suits, Fancy Colored Shirts and Dress Shirts. When the time comes to change your underwear, we carry the stock in all grades. In Hats and Caps we have all the new blocks in all grades.

MERCHANT TAILORING DEPARTMENT.

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We are Doing the Dress Goods Business.

Hundreds of wool designs, goods of real merit, high qualities and low prices, force trade Serge, Etamines, Black Lizard, Mohair, Brocades, Sicillienne, etc., in new colorings and effects.

50 styles at \$1.69 per dress, 50 styles at \$2.19 per dress, 50 styles at \$2.89 per dress.

We open 20 new styles of Fancy Silk to-day, 38c, 75c, \$1.00.

Have you seen our novelties in Ladies' Neck Wear at 25c per set. See our window.

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"The Hub" Shoe Store,

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Men's Bicycle Shoes \$1.50. Men's Calf Bicycle Shoes \$2. None better for wear, ease and comfort at any price.

A large assortment of Ladies' Dark Tan Oxford Ties at lowest prices. Call and see them.

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A full line of Bicycle Hose now on sale. These include plain and Scotch mixtures, and plaids of all colors. These at popular prices.

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We are showing the best line of Corsets at

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A number of Good Farms of various sizes and values.

FOR SALE.

\$750 for a Small House and Lot on Washington street, between Academy and Sprague avenues.

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Have you seen our new Shopping Bag—the Parisian?

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Always in stock, but especially now for Easter. In fact "a dandy" just expresses the appearance of anything that comes from our establishment.

Whether it be one of our custom made suits, one of our hats, some of our ready-made clothing, or anything else in our large stock (which contains everything for gentlemen's wear except shoes), it makes no difference, they are all dandies.

And that isn't all, the prices are just right. Come in and look around.

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DO YOU WEAR PANTS?

If so, try a pair of the famous Dutchess make—the only brand that was awarded a medal at the World's Fair. Their guarantee:

Buy a pair \$2 up, wear them two months. For every button that comes off we will pay you 10 cents, if they rip at the waist band we pay you 50 cents, at the seat or elsewhere we will pay you \$1 or give you a new pair.

For good service Pants, try a pair, their make, at 75 cts.

Cassimere Pants only \$1.

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A full line of Little Johnnie's Overalls, for boys 5 to 15 years.

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We make Clothing also.

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Capes, Jackets and Dress Skirts in Great Variety.

L. STERN 13-15 NORTH ST.

Eton jacket, fly front, skirt and
5 each. Very little more than a
Shirt Waists—the very latest. A
worth double our asking price
and Suits. The best 25c Ladies'

LOCATIONS OF FIRE ALARM BOXES.
For the information of our readers, we publish below a complete list of the numbers and locations of all the fire alarm boxes in this city:

- 14—Wichman Ave., cor. Prince, O. & W. R. M.
- 15—North street and Lake avenue, hat shops.
- 16—North St. and Wilmor Ave., type shop.
- 17—Railroad avenue and Montgomery street.
- 18—Grand avenue and Prince street.
- 19—North street and Lake avenue, corner Liberty street.
- 20—West Main street and Wellkin avenue.
- 21—North street, corner Wilmor avenue.
- 22—North street and Lake avenue.
- 23—North and John streets, Erie crossing.
- 24—Lake avenue and West street.
- 25—W. Main street, corner Monmouth avenue.
- 26—North street and Lake avenue.
- 27—Prospect street and Highland avenue.
- 28—Door of State Hospital.
- 29—Fulton and Mill streets, hat shop.
- 30—Rich and Sanford streets.
- 31—Canal street, confectionery.
- 32—Mulberry and Fulton streets.
- 33—Fairview avenue and South street.
- 34—Fulton street and East street.
- 35—Academy avenue and East street.
- 36—Academy avenue and Houston avenue.
- 37—East Main street and Railroad avenue.
- 38—East Main street and Prospect street.
- 39—Academy avenue and Geauga street.
- 40—Martle and Prospect avenue.
- 41—Grant street and Sprague avenue.
- 42—East Main street and Prospect avenue.
- 43—North street, near Orchard.
- 44—Franklin Square.
- 45—Roughed in a box number, denotes that a meter is being made.

1 stroke denotes clock broken.
2 strokes of bell denotes Chiefs' call.
3 strokes of bell denotes 12 o'clock time.
4 strokes of bell denotes recall fire is out.

Croup and whooping cough are childhood's terrors; but like pneumonia, bronchitis and other throat and lung troubles, can be quickly cured by using One Minute Cough Cure. W. D. Olney.

PERSONAL.—The gentleman who annoyed the congregation last Sunday by continually coughing will find instant relief by using One Minute Cough Cure, a speedy and harmless remedy for throat and lung troubles. W. D. Olney.

Thirty years is a long time to fight so painful a trouble as piles, but Jacob Ditchell, of Unionville, Pa., struggled that long before he tried DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, which quickly and permanently cured him. It is equally effective in eczema and all skin affections. W. D. Olney.

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Her insults no longer I'll bear—
"How kind, Jack, but are you quite certain
A piece of your mind you can spare?"
—N. Y. Times.

Modern Son-in-Law.
She—You won't object to having dear
mamma live with us after we are married,
will you?
He (a young doctor)—Not at all. In
fact, she will be most welcome.
She—It's so good of you to say so!
He—Not at all. You see, she is al-
ways ailing, and I really need somebody
to experiment on!—Comic Cuts.

Just as He Said.
Miss Mauchester—Do you know that
after Ellen refused Mr. Esplanade's pro-
posal, she married him?

ores of all kinds. W. D. Olney.

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For Infants and Children.

The fac-
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Ladies Can't Shave.

but they can shave Allen's Foot-Ease,
powder for the feet into their shoes and
rest and comfort. It cures corns,
unions, tired, swollen, sweating feet.
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A Short Cut to Health

To try to cure constipation by taking pills is like going round in a circle. You will never reach the point sought, but

get back to the starting points. A perfect natural laxative is Haon's Celery, the celebrated remedy for all nerve, blood, stomach, liver and kidney diseases. It regulates the bowels. J. J. Chambers, 57 North street, will give you sample package free. Large sizes 25 and 50 cents.

Could Not Do Without Dr. Hand's Colic Cure.

MEMPHIS, N. Y., Nov. 11, '95.—The
and Medicine Co.:—Our baby, now
nearly four months old, has been trou-
bled ever since birth by Wind Colic. At
first we tried the usual remedies, but
until we tried Dr. Hand's Colic Cure
found nothing that would give relief.
Now we would not think of being with-

ELLY BROS., 56 Warren St., N. Y. City.
I suffered from Catarrh three years; it
was so bad I could not work; I used two
bottles of Ely's Cream Balm and am en-
tirely well; I would not be without
it. A. C. Clarke, 341 Shawmut Ave.,
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After using a 10 cent trial size of Ely's
Cream Balm you will be sure to buy the
10 cent size. Cream Balm has no equal
in clearing catarrh and cold in head. Ask
your druggist for it or send 10 cents to

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Newburgh via Turners—Leave Turners for Newburgh at 7:35 a. m.; 10:53 a. m. daily, except Sunday; 9:00 p. m. daily; 10:30 a. m.; Sunday only. Train 30 connects for Newburgh via Arden, instead of Turners.

Newburgh, via Greycourt—Leave Greycourt at 7:45 a. m.; 11:10 a. m.; 1:35 and 6:25 p. m. daily, except Sunday; 10:45 a. m. and 5:52 p. m., Sun. only.

Trains Nos. 6, 11, 15, 16, 21, 22, 23, 26, 27, 28, 30, 33 and Sunday Specials 601, 617, 623 stop at Main street, Middletown.

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gives it.

THE COMMON COUNCIL.

A Special Meeting to Try to Reduce the Budget—Only \$300 Pared Off.

A meeting of the Common Council was held, last evening, by the call of the Mayor, to reconsider the annual budget as previously decided upon in the hope of reducing it, but the only reduction made during a long session was \$300 in the item for legal expenses and damages, leaving the amount to be asked for that purpose at \$450 and the total budget \$105,084.90.

In the discussion upon the various items some bad blood was shown to exist between members of the Council, which may crop out and bear fruit later on that will furnish news for Argus readers, but which for the sake of "harmony" we will forbear to speak of at present. There are some things, however, in the proceedings which we may refer to.

As to the item for the Board of Health, Mr. Hirst wanted to know what the fees of the Registrar of Vital Statistics were, as allowed by law, but no one was able to answer and therefore some members of Council were disposed to make light of the matter, and the subject was dropped as it was not one of public interest.

In the matter of the item for a fire parade the opinion seemed to prevail that the firemen should, under the existing circumstances, withdraw their request, but not a man in the Council would dare suggest that it be stricken out. The reason, of course, is that the firemen hold the balance of power in elections and every man who holds an office to-day either hopes for reelection or a still bigger office.

In the matter of the appropriation for the G. A. R. posts, Mr. Bastian called down Mr. Memory for saying at a recent meeting that a "scrap" was on between Gen. Lyon and Captain Jackson Post. Mr. Memory took his medicine manfully and then Mr. Hirst explained that the reason Gen. Lyon Post asked for the usual appropriation was that it maintained a burial plot at Phillipsburgh which required a considerable expenditure every year and that the members of the post were men who could not afford to put their hands in their pockets when money is needed. The President and Mr. Memory, after listening to Mr. Hirst, suggested that the item should stand and everybody else agreed with them.

A NEW INVENTION.

A Metallic Hen That is Expected to Revolutionize the Poultry Business.

The Pineland Incubator Company of Jamesburg, N. J., is building a metallic hen according to specifications furnished by O. W. Mapes, of the Electric Poultry Yards. Mr. Mapes has lately applied for United States letters patent.

He has also invented an improved thermostat which will hold this metallic hen at actual blood heat with as little variation as the blood in a hen's body. Heat is to be supplied to eggs for hatching and chicks for brooding by actual contact as in nature instead of by radiation as in other incubators and brooders. One machine hatches the eggs and afterwards broods the chicks.

New Milk Freight Rates to Take Effect May 15th.

From the Milk Reporter

In its decision of the milk freight suit the Inter-State Commerce Commission named April 15 as the date for commencing a differential rate but in consequence of delay in serving notice on the roads enjoined, the date has been changed to May 15. The long haulers will hold a conference on April 21 to determine what is best to be done under the circumstances.

A New Switch Put In.

Employees of the Traction Company worked until midnight, last night, putting in a new switch at the corner of Benton and Academy avenues. The job was begun, yesterday morning, but the frequent passage of cars delayed the work and but slow progress was made. The running of cars on the Academy avenue line was not interfered with, but for a time it was necessary to transfer passengers on the Graham line.

The Price of Butter to Control the Price of Milk.

A prominent member of the Consolidated Milk Exchange announced that it will be the policy of the Exchange to make the milk price on the basis of the butter price in order to prevent the butter factories from flooding the market and depressing the price of milk.

Electric Railway to be Incorporated.

The Liberty and Jeffersonville, Sullivan county, Electric Railway Company was incorporated, yesterday, with a capital of \$120,000 to operate a line of railroad between the two places.

Beware of Quinins for Catarrh That Contain Mercury.

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is tenfold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made at Toledo, O., by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free.

Sold by druggists, price 75c per bottle.

THE HIBERNIANS' BALL.

Held at the Assembly Rooms, Last Night—Large Attendance and a Pleasant Time.

The eighteenth annual ball of Division No. 1, Ancient Order of Hibernians, was held at the Assembly Rooms, last night. The floor was crowded with the members and friends of the society and the reputation of the division as the promoters of one of the most enjoyable and successful social affairs of the season was fully sustained. Barnes' orchestra furnished the music for dancing. The success of the ball was due to the efforts of the following committees:

Committee of Arrangements—James C. Egan, Patrick Gorman, Thos. M. Gillen, Timothy Burke, Joseph Galvin.
Floor Committee—M. Doran, J. H. Lawder, Ed. Lawrence, M. J. Kerrigan, Joseph Sweeney.
Reception Committee—Owen McGuire, Wm. Pohlman, Edward Flood, John Donovan, John Curtin.
The officers of the society are: President—D. B. Sweeney.
Vice President—Dennis Ryan.
Financial Secretary—Thos. M. Gillen.
Recording Secretary—Martin Reed.
Treasurer—Owen McGuire.

THE NATIONAL GAME.

Notes of Local Interest—The Asylum to Have a Strong Team.

—Jack Lawler was struck on the head by a pitched ball at Hackensack, Saturday, and the injury prevented him from playing with the Hoboken club on Sunday.

—Georgel played with the Hoboken, Sunday.

—"Tommy" Murray will spend several days of this week in this city practicing with the Asylum. Manager Cook will place a strong team in the field.

—Pete Agnew, who was catcher for the Sidney nine, last year, and who filled the position most acceptably is expecting an engagement with the same team, this year.

May Be Extended to Montgomery.

It is said in Newburgh that the officers of the electric road are considering the advisability of extending the line from Walden to Montgomery. There is no doubt that the citizens of Montgomery will heartily welcome the building of the road.

ULSTERVILLE.

Lecture on Armenia at New Prospect Church.

—Miss Rebecca Krikorian, a native of Armenia, will give an address on Armenia in the New Prospect Reformed Church, Thursday evening of this week, April 22. No admission, but an appeal will be made by Miss Krikorian for means by which to alleviate the sufferings and outrages of her afflicted people. Miss Krikorian will be dressed in her native costume and will be accompanied by a little Armenian girl, who will sing in her native tongue. All are most cordially invited and urged to come.

The People Are Convinced.

When they read the testimonials of cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla. They are written by honest men and women, and are plain, straightforward statements of fact. The people have confidence in Hood's Sarsaparilla because they know it actually and permanently cures, even when other medicines fail.

Hood Pills are the only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla. Easy and efficient.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT.

CLAS. M. ROTH, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 10 North street, Middletown, N. Y.

Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

New York, April 20, '97.

Yesterday's Trading.

Sugar ... 110 1/2

Tobacco ... 71 1/2

Chicago Gas ... 7 1/2

Nat. Lead ... 10 1/2

General Electric ... 10 1/2

U. S. L. pref. ... 10 1/2

Tenn. Coal and Iron ... 10 1/2

A. T. & S. F. ... 10 1/2

C. B. & Q. ... 10 1/2

C. M. & St. P. ... 10 1/2

R. I. & N. Y. ... 10 1/2

D. & W. ... 10 1/2

Erie ... 10 1/2

D. & H. ... 10 1/2

O. & W. ... 10 1/2

Shenandoah & Western ... 10 1/2

Shenandoah & West. pref. ... 10 1/2

S. W. ... 10 1/2

N. Y. C. ... 10 1/2

M. P. ... 10 1/2

Texas ... 10 1/2

U. S. ... 10 1/2

U. S. Union ... 10 1/2

L. & N. ... 10 1/2

Manhattan ... 10 1/2

P. M. ... 10 1/2

Wabash, pref. ... 10 1/2

No. Pacific, pref. ... 10 1/2

W. ... 10 1/2

Southern Ry. ... 10 1/2

May Wheat ... 10 1/2

May Corn ... 10 1/2

May Oats ... 10 1/2

May Pork ... 10 1/2

May Lard ... 10 1/2

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

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Munyon's Rheumatism Cure is guaranteed to cure acute or chronic rheumatism in from one to five days. Sharp, shooting pains in any part of the body stopped by a few doses. A prompt, complete and permanent cure for lameness, soreness, stiff back and all pains in hips and joints. Chronic rheumatism, sciatica, lumbago or pain in the back are speedily cured. It seldom fails to give relief from one or two doses, and almost invariably cures before one bottle has been used. Price 25 cents.

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Improved Homeopathic Home Remedy Company put up a separate cure for each disease. At all druggists, mostly 25 cents. Guide to Health free.

OTISVILLE.

Home Again—Easter at the Churches—Attending Presbytery—Box Social—Other Notes.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—Geo. S. Writer, Jr., is home from Philadelphia. He expects to return in the fall to complete the study of dentistry.

—Easter Sunday was observed in the M. E. Church with exercises appropriate to the day. The church was very pleasingly decorated with potted plants and flowers, certainly a very fitting way to welcome their new pastor, Rev. D. W. C. Ramsey.

—The Presbyterian Church was beautiful with plants for Easter, but there were no exercises except the regular Sunday services.

—Rev. R. J. Diven and Ira Corwin left on the way train for Nyack, Monday morning, to attend the session of Presbytery.

—A box social is to be given at the home of Mrs. Charles Loomis, Friday evening of this week. Every lady will please furnish lunch for two. Price of box 40 cents.

—Miss Grace Craig, a student of the Oneonta Normal School, is spending her vacation at home.

—W. P. Kenman, School Commissioner of this district, visited the Brick School. Miss Lulu Wright, teacher, on Wednesday last.

—We see in an exchange that Miss Edna Beyer is now visiting friends in Mt. Upton, Chenango Co.

MOUNT HOPE.

Preached at Monticello—Attending Presbytery—Personal Mention, Correspondence of ARGUS and MERCURY.

—Rev. Thomas Fitzgerald preached in the Presbyterian Church at Monticello, last week.

—Rev. Luther Little went to Nyack, Monday, to attend some of the sessions of the Hudson Presbytery, but will return to attend the funeral of James Jeffers, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

—Mrs. Agnes Filer was the guest of Miss Jennie Rysdyke, on Sunday.

—Mrs. Minnie Wilson and daughter, of Brooklyn, were called home by the illness of her father, James Jeffers.

Special Rates on the Erie April 25th and 27th.

On account of the dedication of the Grant monument the Erie will sell special excursion tickets on April 26th and 27th at rate of \$1.86 for round trip. Tickets will be good going on any regular train (except No. 8) on the above dates, and returning on any train (except No. 5) on or before April 29th. The Erie's West 23d street ferry is very convenient for this occasion. Any point in the city can be reached in a short time by the numerous horse-car lines and elevated railroads.

This event will probably be the greatest of this century and no one should miss seeing it. 75,000 men it is estimated will be in line in the land parade alone and the naval parade will be composed of the entire North Atlantic squadron of the United States, representative battleships of all the great nations of the world and innumerable vessels of the merchant marine.

Advertised Letter List.

List of letters remaining unclaimed for at the Middletown postoffice for the week ending April 19th:

LADIES.

Miss Ruth Patton, Miss Isabel Cooper, Miss Abram Skinner, Miss Alice Johnson, Miss Alice Johnson, Miss Alice Johnson.

GENTLEMEN.

Ellis, Geo. A., Beck, Saml., Burgeon, A. J., Wilson, Fred, Brown, Frank, Case, Charles, Childs, W. J., Day, Prof., G. L. ELWOOD, P. M.

Dr. Miles' Nerve Plasters 25c. at all druggists.

BUSENBERRY—In this city, April 18th, '97, to Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Buseberry, a daughter.

DIED.

GILLINAN—In this city, April 18th, '97, Honora Marjorie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Gillinan, aged six months, twenty-eight days.

Funeral Wednesday afternoon, at three o'clock, corner of Wickham avenue and Albert street, Interment in St. Joseph's Cemetery. No house or carriages.

JERROD O. ROCKAFELLOW, Funeral Director and Embalmer, 90 North street, Telephone No. 3. Lady assistant, New York office 151 East 2d street, with H. E. Taylor & Co.

KNAPP & MERRITT, Undertakers and Embalmers, 121 North street, Fine coaches to let. Telephone 15. Lady assistant, Open day and night.

DOUGHERTY & REILLY, Undertakers and Embalmers, 60 Centre street, Middletown, Telephone 42, night and day. New York office, 27 Great Jones street.

ISAAC D. OSTERHOFF, Undertaker and Embalmer, graduate of United States College of Embalming, Residence, No. 22 Wickham avenue; War room, corner North street and Wickham avenue, Middletown, N. Y. The finest modern equipments and every requirement for funerals furnished. Experienced lady assistant. Telephone 15. Branch office, 68 Great Jones street, New York city, and 64 Myrtle avenue, Brooklyn.

WOODBORNE.

Going to Middletown—Died at Cornwall Sanitarium—A Wedding—Personal and Local Notes.

Correspondent ARGUS and MERCURY.

—Peter Now is improving. He has sold his place to Corben Low, of Grahamsville, and will move to Middletown, next week. They will be missed very much as Mrs. Now was the leading dressmaker in this place.

—Millard Martin, of this place, went to Cornwall Sanitarium, Thursday, but before he had been treated was taken sick and died Friday morning. His body was brought home Saturday evening on the train. He leaves a wife and little girl four years old to mourn his loss. The news was a severe blow to his mother who has not very good health.

—Isaac Foster and sisters were called to or near Brown Station to attend the funeral of their elder brother.

—Miss Clarinda Strong, of this place, is sick at Ellenville.

—Mr. Bernard is much better. Miss Sarah Oliver, of Middletown, is visiting them and will remain some time.

—Mrs. Bernard, who died last week, was a niece of Mrs. Esther Moss, of Middletown.

—Frank Morton, of Hasbrouck, and Grace Courtright, of Neversink, were married, last week, at U. F. Stairs'. They acted as bridesmaids and best man at the Pierce and Merritt wedding, last winter.

—Mrs. Houghtaling, who has been spending the winter in Connecticut, has returned home in very poor health.

—George Hendrixon is the owner of the finest lot of pigs in the place.

WAWAYANDA.

Many Sick—High Priced Pigs—Grass and Winter Grain Looking Well.

Correspondence ARGUS and MERCURY.

—This is a favorable season for farmers to do their spring work.

—Grass has started to grow and it and winter grain have suffered but little from the effects of alternate freezing and thawing during the winter and spring.

—Peach trees in this vicinity promise a good yield of fruit.

—Quite a number in this town are on the sick list and our physicians are kept busy in caring for them.

—The price of pigs, six weeks old, is \$3. The stringency of the money market does not seem to lessen the price of either pigs or cows, nor does it reduce taxes or notes at interest.

Ride the Orange County Express Bicycle. 1dtt

NEW TO-DAY.

WILL Give a hundred for Sunlight Soap wrappers. Apply to SNYDER & FANCHER. 21dtt

PARKIN'S Orchestra again Thursday evening, Columbia Park. Ladies all free. Gentlemen 25 cents. 11d

GIRL to mind baby. Sleep and board home. NEW YORK STORE. 11

FOR ONE WEEK—ROE SHAD. YOUR PICK, ONLY 30 CENTS. GREENING'S. 21dtt

AUCTION SALE

OF

House and Lot!

OWNED AND OCCUPIED BY THE LATE GILBERT GOODGION, SITUATE ON

The Easterly Side of North Beacon St., in the City of Middletown, Orange Co., N. Y.

The said premises will be sold under the direction of William H. Rivers, Esq., Referee, at the Holding House, on East Main street, in the city of Middletown, Orange county, N. Y., on the

21st Day of April, 1897, at 2

O'clock in the Afternoon.

The aforesaid premises consist of a lot with a pretty seven-room cottage thereon, and rely new, erected by the deceased, Mr. Goodgion, shortly prior to his death.

These premises will positively be sold at auction to the highest bidder. This is a chance to acquire a pretty cottage at a price which always prevails at auction sales. For further information apply to the undersigned.

J. J. M. B. RAY, Referee, at his office, in the Trust Company Building, North street, or to VANDER WYCK & VAIL, Planners, Attorneys, No. 4 East Main street, Middletown, N. Y. April 16, 1897.

CREAM OF WHEAT!

a success, and to-day we have

Strawberries, String Beans, Asparagus, Lettuce, Home-grown

Radishes, Malaga Grapes, New

Cabbage, Spinach, Green Onions,

Celery, New Tomatoes and Potatoes.

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40 North St. Telephone 39.

Spooner & Ayers' Old Stand.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

Notice is hereby given to the taxable inhabitants of the city of Middletown, N. Y., that a special election or appropriation meeting will be held at the Common Council Rooms, in the Times Building, corner of King and Center streets, in said city, WEDNESDAY, MAY 5th, 1897, from 2 p. m. until 8 p. m., to vote by ballot, with respect to raising by general tax, on the property liable to assessment for city purposes, the following amounts for extraordinary or SPECIAL PURPOSES:

Permanent street improvement.....\$3,000

Stone center.....1,200

Thrift Hospital.....1,500

Alteration King street building.....2,000

Stone center.....1,200

Monahan Home Co., for ambulance and patrol service.....700

Phoenix Engine Co., for patrol wagon.....750

Fire, Lyon Post, G. A. R.50

By order of Common Council. C. E. MANICE, President. E. M. HAMILTON, City Clerk. 2d 37, 4

It isn't fair

the way the work of the human race is proportioned out and distributed. Look at the house-drudgery of women. Compare it in its hardness and weariness with the occupations of most men!

The only way out of it is to use

Pearline.

Use Pearline, and take the drudgery away from housework.

Pearline makes woman's work womanly and healthful and fit for her to do. All the washing, all the cleaning, and hundreds of other things besides, are made easy with Pearline.

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ANOTHER Lot (not a carload though) of those 2 quart. Fountain Sprinklers just received. A regular 7c syringe reduced to 4c to sell them out quick. Every one warranted perfect. EXCHANGE and MART CO., No. 46 East Main street, second door from postoffice.

DYSPEPSIA. Heartburn, Gastritis and all Stomach Disorders positively cured by Grover's Remedy, the celebrated European specific. One dose removes all distress, and a permanent cure of the worst chronic case guaranteed in a short time. Do not suffer. A 50 cent bottle convinces the most skeptical. Sole agent, F. M. PRONK, Druggist. 663m1y12

HEAVY Silver plated ten set of four piece box of plumber's and gas fitters' tools, opera and field glasses, Masonic clock, all cheap at the EXCHANGE and MART CO., No. 46 East Main street.

NOTICE—CRAIG, the Shoemaker, will move to 23 West Main street, in the store formerly occupied by the Middletown Clothing Co. CRAIG will sell leather made shoe for \$1.30; also shoe repairing. Will keep all kinds of things in connection with shoes and leather. 1dtt

MAGN Compound Extract of Sarsaparilla, with iodine potash, one of the best skin and blood remedies known. Large bottle,